

THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT, BENJAMIN HARRISON, OF INDIANA.
FOR VICE PRESIDENT, LEVI P. MORTON, OF NEW YORK.
STATE TICKET.
For Governor—W. D. HOARD, of Jefferson.
For Lieutenant Governor—G. W. WYLAND, of Grant.
For Secretary of State—ERNEST J. TIMMUE, of Winnebago.
For Treasurer—H. D. HARRIS, of Winnebago.
For Attorney General—C. E. ESTABROOK, of Manitowish.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—J. D. TEAYLER, of Pierce.
For Railroad Commissioner—ALFRED HEDGECOCK, of Crawford.
For Commissioner of Agriculture—PHILIP CHERRY, Jr., of Sauk.

CONGRESSIONAL

For Congress, First District—L. B. CASWELL, of Jefferson.
Eight District—MILS D. HAUSER, of Pierce.
Ninth District—MILTON H. MCCORD, of Lincoln.
COUNTY TICKET.
For Sheriff—GEO. C. HARRISON, of Clinton.
For Register of Deeds—C. L. VALENTINE, of Janesville.
For Clerk of the Court—E. M. GOWAN, of Janesville.
For County Clerk—W. F. WILLIAMS, of Union.
For County Treasurer—A. D. BURDICK, of Union.
For District Attorney—E. M. GOWAN, of Janesville.
For County Surveyor—EDWARD HUBER, of Janesville.
For Coroner—GEO. CANTHORN, of Janesville.

DARKING UP THE WHOLE TREE.

The most prominent thing in this campaign aside from republican hope, is the misery of the democratic man. They are away down in the valley of humiliation. They are hard up. They were never in closer headquarters or more hampered by distress than are the democratic committee-men. As despair itself and as hopeless as the restoration of a mummy. There is everything in this campaign to make the democrats look blue—the desertion from the party, the burdens of free trade notions, the hypocrisy of the administration, the failure to reduce the surplus except by spending it, the crime against reform, and a lot more of reasons, from the attention of the democratic managers from the incident of triumph in 1884, to absolute defeat in 1888.

The condition of the democratic mind can be plainly seen by the following quotation by Mr. Brice, chairman of the national democratic committee:

New York, August 10, 1888.
Mr. James K. Moher, Cleveland, Ohio:
My Dear Sir—I wish you would, at your earliest convenience, write me your opinion as to the outlook in Ohio, what elements are with us this year that were not with us last, and what local issues, if any, will have any influence in the campaign. Many of our friends are arguing as to the belief that we have a good thing chance to carry the state, and if their opinions are well grounded we ought to go into the fight and win. Will you also kindly indicate the name of some active, discreet democrat in Ohio, the township where you are, with whom we can correspond? Further, when in New York, I should be glad to see you at headquarters, where we may have the benefit of your suggestions and advice. Very respectfully yours,
J. K. BRICE, Chairman.

Poor Brice! He thought he was addressing a democrat. In deed he was, but not a free trade or Cleveland democrat, and so he found himself barking up the wrong tree. But Mr. Moher wrote Mr. Brice a kind letter and told him the chairman wanted him to make some suggestions without going to New York, that proved terribly instructive if not interesting, to Mr. Brice. The answer is as follows:

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 1, 1888.
Chairman, National Democratic Committee.
DEAR SIR: Referring to your favor of the 16th, which proving business engagements have prevented my answering until this time, I must say that the outlook in Ohio is highly satisfactory for a republican majority, and where from 25,000 to 30,000.

This is a record by men of your party who are in position to judge. The few prohibitionists in the state are with you this year, as they always are, but the defection in the ranks of the wage-workers, growing out of the free trade insanity you have adopted, will lose the party thousands of votes in Ohio. Grover Cleveland's unwarranted pro-vote and his break of the local organs of this city in stinging the soldiers of the late war "soldier and bigoted" have made the ex-soldier element almost wholly republican.

In regard to carrying Ohio, or having a fighting chance here, the friends who have so advised you nothing of the situation. Indeed it now looks as if you would carry a single northern state. The sending of Thurman into Michigan will, in my opinion, cost you your votes, and McKinley's tariff speech in Georgia will do the same thing. The stupid blunders of the campaign by the democratic leaders, Cleveland's cowardice in writing his letter of acceptance, and everything else are against the success of your party in the fall. The masses do not want free trade, and they will not vote in November. As for myself, I am free to admit that my vote will cast thus fall for Harrison, Morton and the protection of the interests of the nation, and many democrats of prominence in this city and state are with me.

Most respectfully yours,
JAMES K. MOHER.
There are thousands of democrats in the north who are situated politically as Mr. Moher is. They are disgusted with the Cleveland business.

CLEVELAND'S POLICY.

A Washington dispatch contains the following indication of the character of Mrs. Mary Ann Dougherty's letter should be read by every influential democrat in Washington, Sept. 10.—In connection

with the petition to congress by Mrs. Charlotte Smith for authority to prosecute President Cleveland upon the charge of libeling Mrs. Mary Ann Dougherty, an Irish woman whose pension bill was recently vetoed, the Woman's National league, of this city, has just issued a leaflet in the case, which is to be distributed among members of congress. It will be remembered that Mrs. Dougherty was severely injured by an explosion in the arsenal here, where she was working at cartridge making during the war, and that the president in vetoing her pension said that she was a woman of bad character. The brief in the case issued to-day is headlined as follows: "A Dastardly outrage. Grover Cleveland attacks the character of Mary Ann Dougherty. He votes her pension bill and then denounces her as drunken and worthless to the whole country. The charges against her proven false. Will Irishmen vote for a man who shames himself behind his Irish office to ruin the fame of a helpless Irish woman?"

Followers are the chief features of the brief: Grover Cleveland stands before the nation as a candidate for reelection, with how much does the people trust in him? In the past, Cleveland has been the champion of the poor, the great chief executive takes advantage of his high official position to traduce and ruin the character of a poor Irish woman—the widow of an Irish soldier, who died during the war in the dark days of the rebellion.

By what right did Grover Cleveland stoop from the high pedestal on which the people had placed him to assail the reputation of a helpless widow to whom congress had granted a pension of \$10 a month for services rendered the nation by her dead husband? Was it not cruel enough to veto the act of congress and to let her starve? No, insult must be added to injury and to cover up the vindictive feeling which he has exhibited against the poor and the friendless since his installation into office he takes occasion to say: "The pension of this woman is endorsed by the admirals and several other officers of the navy, and a distinguished admiral of Washington, endorsing that they know Mrs. Dougherty, and believe the facts stated to be true. The police records of the present year in which she has lived for years show that she is a woman of very bad character and that she has been under arrest also times for drunkenness, larceny, creating disturbance and misdemeanor of various kinds."

We have taken the time and pains to look through the police records for the last twenty years to satisfy ourselves whether the charges which Grover Cleveland brings against Mary Ann Dougherty are true, and whether she was as bad as he had pictured her. The result is that Mrs. Mary Ann Dougherty was arrested about twenty-five years ago, for usual, and this was the only time she was arrested. Was she guilty? Let us see. The evidence showed that she was a member of the police force, while engaged in beating his wife—was a young boy in her arms—was assaulted by Mary Ann Dougherty, with his own bill—made a false statement, and was arrested for this, and the police officer dismissed from the force. A complete abstract of the police records covering the arrest of the various women by Washington by the name of Dougherty is produced, and the fact that Mrs. Mary Ann Dougherty who applies for the pension was endorsed by many of the leading citizens of Washington is given.

The news from Maine is not surprising to the republicans, however it may be so to the democrats. There is sure defeat for the democrats this year. There is no hope for them. The people have made up their minds that the democratic party must go. The vote in Oregon, Vermont, and Maine, though splendidly endorsing the republican policy, is but the prevailing sentiment of the people. Indiana, Connecticut and New York, the doubtful states, will surprise the democrats just as much as the three states that have held their elections. There is no escaping the fact that the democratic party is doomed to defeat.

MILWAUKEE JUNCTION.

A. J. Wood and family started last Thursday on a 10 day vacation trip. J. E. Smith sold to Bang & Son, of Janesville, 632 bushels of barley at 47 cents.

Mrs. J. A. McClafferty and daughter Ruby, have been visiting at Ed. Fowles', in Fulton the past few days.

Sheriff Boncomp passed through last week with another prisoner for Waupun. The sheriff appears to have plenty of work in this line.

Mrs. F. M. Shalley, our boarding house patron, has taken a vacation and is visiting her father and sister at Earlston.

Mrs. Dwyer and daughter, of St. Louis, who have been visiting at Mrs. Barnett Paul's, left for their home Tuesday.

James Campbell has just returned from a business trip to Iowa.

Miss Mattie Haessinger is quite sick. The republican rally at L. of Hall last Saturday evening was a grand success.

The Ira B. Bradford party, as a splendid success, and the house was full with the manner he handled the questions of the campaign. The house was full to overflowing.

Peter Alt banding in the town hall for the creation of a new school house, and the contract was \$3001.50. The building to be finished by the 20th of November.

Our townsman, Albert Burdick and family started Tuesday for Powhatan, Virginia. They expect to make their residence there as Albert owns a farm at that place.

D. G. Partridge has started his sorghum mill so that now is a good time to get in a store of sweeteners.

Urele James Greenman had the bad luck to lose one of his large sheep killed by dogs one night last week.

H. W. Cunn and family returned home from their trip last Friday. Harb. reports a good time. Mrs. Cunn, however, Mrs. Cunn, is not here. The journey was rather too much for one of her age.

Mrs. Calvin Hull has been visiting friends at Darin.

FROM BEN'S PEN.

Full Text of General Harrison's Letter of Acceptance.

HE TAKES ISSUE WITH MR. CLEVELAND, AND Declares the Campaign to Be a Battle Between Free Trade and Protection—He Would Enforce the Anti-Chinese Laws—Other Topics.

MR. HARRISON'S LETTER.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 12.—Following is General Harrison's letter of acceptance of the Presidency of the United States by the Republican convention I premised as soon as practicable to communicate to you a more formal acceptance of the nomination, and that time the work of reviving and addressing, almost daily, large delegations of my fellow-citizens, has not only occupied all my time but has in some measure rendered it unnecessary for me to use this letter as a medium of communicating to the public my views on the questions involved in the campaign.

HE ACKNOWLEDGES.
"I appreciate very highly the confidence and respect manifested by the convention, and accept the nomination with a feeling of deep honor and a full sense of the responsibilities which accompany it.

"It is a matter of congratulation that the declarations of the Chicago convention upon the questions so clear and emphatic. There is further cause of congratulation in the fact that the convention utterances of the Democratic party, if in any degree uncertain or contradictory, can be reduced and understood by the people through the messages and debates proposed in legislation.

THIS MATTER.
"This is especially true of what is popularly known as the tariff question. The issue now before the people is not a contest between free trade and protection, but a contest between the tariff as it is now, and the tariff as it should be. The tariff as it is now, is a tariff of protection, and the tariff as it should be, is a tariff of revenue.

"The important question is not so much the length of the tariff as the direction of it. The tariff as it is now, is a tariff of protection, and the tariff as it should be, is a tariff of revenue. The tariff as it is now, is a tariff of protection, and the tariff as it should be, is a tariff of revenue.

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